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(PATENT)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: David S. GARVEY et al. Confirmation No.: 8446  
Application No.: 10/581,340 Art Unit: 1626  
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Title: NITRIC OXIDE RELEASING PYRUVATE COMPOUNDS,  
COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS OF USE

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

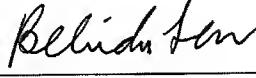
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Applicants request that the Examiner initial and return a copy of the enclosed Form PTO SB-08 with the next communication.

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Respectfully submitted,

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